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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Y. SEKI et al.  
Serial No.: 10/076,554  
Filed: February 19, 2002  
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ASSISTING APPLICATION  
PREPARATION  
Group: 3629  
Examiner: N. Vig

**AMENDMENT**

**MS Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 12, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2007, setting a shortened statutory period for reply to expire June 22, 2007, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** are included following the amendments.